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**PATENT** 456110-2360

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Philip KLIPSTEIN

Serial No. 10/561,729

For DEPLETION-LESS PHOTODIODE WITH SUPPRESSED DARK CURRENT AND METHOD

FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

Filed December 22, 2005 Examiner To Be Assigned Art Unit To Be Assigned

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Mail Stop Amendment **Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

No. 50-0320.

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- No additional fee is required.
- The fee has been calculated as shown below.
- This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

### Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	32	Minus	** = 31	1*0x	\$50 (25)	=\$50.00
Independent claims	3	Minus	***=3	*0x	\$200 (100)	=\$0
		Total ad	ditional fee for th	his amendment		\$50.00

- If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.
- If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- \*\*\* If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

	This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$360(180) has been previously paid $\square$ , or is paid herewith $\square$ .
	This response is being filed within the month following the expiration of the term originally set therefore. This is a petition to request a month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.
$\boxtimes$	A check in the amount of \$50.00 is attached, which covers the cost of \( \sigma \) additional claims \( \sigma \) petition for extension of time.
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

Please charge any additional fees incurred by reason of this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account

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Respectfully submitted,

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Before the issuance of the first Official Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows: